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REPRODUCING DEVICE USING THE SAME

LETTER SUBMITTING FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowability dated December 15, 2005 and in response to Examiner's Interview Summary of February 16, 2006, submitted herewith is one (1) sheet of Formal Drawings in the form of a REPLACEMENT SHEET in connection with the above referenced application. The REPLACEMENT SHEET shows Fig. 7, correctly identifying element 21, previously incorrectly numbered "1" and "22". For your information, attached is an Annotated Sheet showing the change.

Respectfully submitted,

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